Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table Sun rises tomorrow at 6.31 and sets at 4.56 Bigh water at 2.35 s. m. and 3.07 p. m.

Weather Probabilities. For this section fair tonight. Saturday fair; warmer; light variable winds.

SOHOOL BOARD,

At the monthly meeting of the City School Board held last night there were present : Capt. Herbert Bryant, chairman, and Messrs. Thompson, Yates,
Thomeon, Ramsay, Bradshaw, Boothe,
and the superintendent.

stated that it had been

o from the board

WASHINGTON'S TENT.

in Arlington House and the most precious heirloom of the Father of his Country. This "Pretorium of Valor,"

The sleeping tent and larger dining-tent were made in Philadelphia, 1775, and first set up on Dorchester Heights. Throughout the war of the revolution these tents were used in the campaigns, and even when Washington occupied a house as his headquarters the sleeping-tent was set up for his private use. With-in it he planued his campaigns, consulted with his officers, wrote letters and drafted dispatches, slept and prayed. After the war the tent was first stored

in the garret at Mount Vernon. Later, when Mr. Custis built Arlington House, building when Mr. Custis built Arrange the tents were carried there and stored.

daties . do so he thoug-thanked the board courtesy shown him and teuresignation as school trustee from the Third ward. He then vacated the chair to which Mr. Yates was called. Mr. Ramsay moved that Capt. Bryant

be requested to withdraw his resignation and spoke in landatory terms of the faithful and efficient manner in which the chairman had performed his duties as trustee and chairman, saying there was not a man on the board who could so well fill the position. He called for a vote on his motion which was unanimously adopted.

The next business being the election of officers Capt. Bryant was unanimously re-elected chairman and was requested to resume the chair, which he did, redurning thanks for the renewed confidence shown in him by the members of the board.

Mr. Hubert Soowden was then reelected clerk. The superintendent reported that the new desks for the principal's room in

Lee building had been received and placed in position.

Several bills for supplies and repairs

were ordered to be paid. The superintendent reported that he had secured estimates for concreting the floors of the basement rooms in Washington building which would cost \$115 for each room; he recommended that two of the floors be concreted and that needed repairs be made to the foundation walls of the building. The matter was referred to the committee on school-The superintendent also reported that the ventilation in Academy building was not good and that something should be done to correct the evil; the mait r was referred to the committee on schoolhouses and furniture and the chairman. The superintendent also reported that the pupils of Leesechool had talsed \$15 towards securing books for the school library; under the law the board was required to appropriate a similar amount and then the State Board of Education would donate the sum of \$10 to the library fund. The

\$15 for the library fund. The superintendent stated that some of the teachers had asked for additional curtains for and to make changes in others at Lee building and the matter was left with the committee on schoolhouses and

faroiture. The superintendent reported that the principals of the colored schools had complained that the junitors did not properly perform their duties. He had looked into the matter and thought he had settled it; be had, however, informed the juniture that they must obey the pri acipale, to regard to the management of the buildings.

The e perintendent stated that in shool there was a school for manual train. ag which he wished to encourage and wo. Id also like to have such school for the maite boys; the colored boys saked for an appropriation of a small sum with which to buy tools and material for their work a nd the matter was referred to the committe's on school-

educational meeting would be her. In oriminals and bringing to light the hidhouses and furniture. Richmond on November 25, 26 and 27 and that the managers wished all the superintendents and teachers of the state who could do so to attend. Saveral of the teachers wished to be present and as the schools would be closed on the 25 h, Thank-giving Day, he thought it might be well to give holiday the following day, Friday, also. It was ordered that the schools be closed from Wednesday evening, the 25th, till the following

of pupils and said there had been been an increase in all the schools which were now doing said there bad been to be the course in raising funds and running

After so informal discussion of the ing a pupil, the concensus of opinion being that the teacher was perfectly right in the matter, the board adjourned.

the concert next Tuesday evening will sing four choruses: "Spring Song," by Pinsuti; "The Ligend of the Chimes," from "Robin Hood," "The Maid of the Figur de Lis," by Sydon-ham, and "The Merry Mill," from "Rob Amongst the well known singers on the programme are Mrs. Willism Woolls and Mr. J. Parris Franklin. Mrs. Woolls will sing "O Min Fernan-do," from "Favorita," and Mr. Franklin "The Gypsy Trail," by Gallway. Several planists are members of the choir, two of whom, Miss Marguerite Milstead and Miss Katharine Waller, will be heard in solos, the former play-ing 'Gosiave," by Chaminade, and the latter "Alice," by Ascher. See advertisement.

CHARTERS.

A charler has been granted to the National Capital Press) I sc.), of Alex-andris. H. E Jenks, president; O. T. Wright, vice-president; C. H. Ridenour, secretary and treasurer, all of Washington. Ospital stock, \$10,000 to Objects and purposes, print-

ing business.

An amendment has been lasted to the charter of the Laustor, Monotype Ma- CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE CITY. chine Company, of Alexandria, increasing the capital stock from \$5,000,000 [Judge J. B. T. Thornton, presiding] to \$10,000. [Marbury vs. Jones; case in progress.

George Washington Park Custis, able history which may be briefly sum-marized as follows:

'Mr. Castis the sleep-olics of Wash-

mander-114 army. Mrs. Lee ... and later the estate was Union army. The tent and otneof Washington were removed to Washington and by order of Secretary Stanton were transferred to the Interior Depart-

ment, and placed on exhibition in the Patent Office. Mrs. Lee appealed to President Johnson in 1869 for the restoration of these personal relics of Washington, and the order for their transfer was given, but

the House of Representatives interferred.

The tent and other relics were removed to the National Museum in 1883. In 1903, under the administration of President McKinley, the relics were re-

oa May 27, 1907, the Rev. W. Her bert Burk, minister in charge of the Washington Memorial Obapel, secured from Miss Mary Costis Lee, the daugh-ter of Mrs. Robert E. Lee, and the owner of the tent, an option for its purchase at \$5,000, and on August 19, 1909, made the first payment of \$500, contributed by friends of the chapel, and received the tent, minus one half of the side wall, from Miss Lee's representative Mr. Julian T. Burke, of this city, and the curators of the National Museum. The following day, 131 years after it was carried from Valley Forge, it was set up in the Valley Forge Mu-

seum of American history.

By the terms of the contract the balance of \$4,500 is to be paid within five years, the tent to be exhibited for the purpose of raising that amount. Miss Lee will devote the proceeds to the sup-port of the "Widows' Confederate Home," in Richmond, of which she is the president.

The tent is made of heavy linen, and is 23 feet long and 12 feet wide, with circular ends. Some vandal has cut a large piece from the top, and one-half of the side wall is missing. Otherwise the tent is in excellent condition. On the clerk was directed to draw a warrant for inside near the back there is a line of tape to which are sewed iron hooks. From these was hung the curtain which screened the camp-cut used by Wash-ington. This part of the tent was his dormitory and sanctuary.

With the tent are the original jointed

tent poles, and the tent-pins with numbers corresponding to those on the ten The latter are much worn. The original leathern case or portmanteau in which the tent was carried is well pre-Strap haudies are fastened the ends of the case for carrying. It was fastened by straps and buckles.

An appeal is made to American pa-triots to give more than the small ad-mission fee that the whole amount required to complete the purchase may be quickly made up, and this tabernacie of our American Moses kept at Valley Forge for all time.

CAUGHT IN THE ACT. That the Alexandria police depart-

ment in its entirety is "up to snuff" is proven by its many acts in ferreting out den mysteries back of strangers who come within the gates of this city. Prockedness is not alone confided to the mas culine gender as was shown yesterday when one of tender sex was taken in custoa w by Officer Knight. It seems that a wo, came to this city and opened a bair dressing and ladies' maniouring parlor or King street near Fairlax. It is not kno wn how her business progressed in her esp. cisl class of work, out the number of tho. e, not females, Monday moraing.

The superintendent then read his specific take notice and she became the monthly report of the attendance of of pupils and said there had been object of suspicion. Having about run bills and becoming desperate, she de-cided to "skip." It is said that a cided to "skip." action of one of the teachers in punishcall for the "change" in the morning. She then packed up two valises and left them at a well-known drug store, saying CONCERT. she would call for them. A few days
The choir of St. Paul's Courch at passed by and the druggist began to get

uneasy, especially after reading about the different truck mysteries. But on yesterday she sent a colored boy to get the satchels and told him to bring them to the corner of Cameron and Columbus atreets, where she intended to board an electric car for Washington and bid farewell to Alexandria and her obligations. She was at the corner of Alfred and Cameron streets awaiting the arrival of the boy with all her earthly possessions and just at the moment be appeared the electric car stopped and as she attempted to board it Officer Knight who had watched her every moment informed her that she would have to take a later train. He brought her to the station house and sent for a prominent minister

she was allowed to go on her way. RIVER NOTES. A. U. S. torpedo steamer was at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf this morning

who, touched by her appeals, raised the

necessary funds to settle her debis and

The schooner Maine, from Reidsville with fertilizer for Mr. Arthur Beyant,

The Lindner Shoe for Ladies fine wear has no equal, John A Marshall& Bro., 232 King street. The Hess, TheWalkover, The Regal Shoes for Men. J. A. Marshall& Bro., 422 King street.

FORT WASHINGTON TOMORROW

As will be seen by a notice elsewhere, the Alexandria Athletic Olub football Washington's adopted son, counted the Alexandria Athletic Club football Washington's tent the greatest treasure tesm will meet Fort Washington's eleven tomorrow alternoon at 4 o'clock on the north Alfred street grounds. This is not the same team the locals defeated as it has been called, has hat a remark-able history which may be briefly sum-that one being selected only from the 144 b Company Coast Artillery, but will be a picked team from the entire post. Last season they held the A. A. C. to a 10 to 0 score, and the locals are expecting a stubbora contest. Our team has been practicing hard during the past week and will be in a position to give a good account of themselves. On account of this game with the soldiers, the local eleven had to decline an invitation from the Maryland Athletic Club, of Baltimore, to play them there tomorrow, but Mauager Orump will endeawor to arrange a game with this crack organization for some time in the near

MUSICALE.

The musicale given by the choir of Ohrist Church in the Young People's Building last evening was one of the most brilliant ever given in Alexandria. orogramme, as announced in last heen excelled, almple oppor-

well-known

preclation of ncores selected and added much los and quartettes. isical treat is offer-It is seldom a. ed to the public and many in the audience expressed the wish that this is only the first of many such. The ladies of the choir were the recipients of hand-some flowers. After the musicale the choir and those assisting were hand-somely entertained by the directress, Mre. M. W. O'Brien.

AMUSEMENIS

Every human being is more or less operatitious and there have been bairraising experiences in the lives of everyone. Fonight at the Opera House there will be presented by the Guy Johnson Stock Co. a startling, yet comical, drama, entitled "The Gaost." That it will be put on well goes without saying, as this stock company is up-to-date in every respect.

At the Surprise Theatre there will be an entire change of pictures and as the reputation of the previous night's enterainment is all that could be desired the management proposes to make this night outshine all others. Admission 5

CAPTURE OF A COON.

Mesars. Fred Athey, Bedford Hayden and Miles Haucock went coon hunting last night in the woods below this city. About 12 o'clock the dogs discovered one near Happy Home, Belmont station, and chased him to a tree on Hog Island. When the men arrived the coon umped from the tree in the river and be dogs pounced upon him and fought him for twenty minutes, but the hunters say it was a fierce fight in which it first appeared that the coon would be vicprious, but after a strenuous struggle the dogs brought their victim to shore sod "there's a new coon in town." It is said that this is the first coon caught by dogs in this section for years.

DEATES

Miss Mary Clarke died at the restence of Mr. H. A. Pierson at Newington, Fairfax county, at an early hour this morning. The deceased was 23 years old. She was a daughter of the on the charge at using abusive language is survived by a brother, Mr. L. A. Clarke, of this city. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's Church in this city on Sanday afternoop.

Mrs. Diedzoneit, wife of Mr. Charles

Diedzoneit, furmering of this city. died iste John Clarke, of Washington. She

GRANTED A DIVORCE.

Mrs. Anne Ansley Davis, who sued her husband, David Shelby Davis, for divorce in Chicago on Wednesday, arrived in Washington last night. was met at Union station by her father, who took her immediately to his home. Mrs. Davis's suit was at first for separate maintenance from her husband, but after the evidence had been heard her attorneys changed the form of action and the court granted her a divorce on the grounds of cruelty and drunkenness on the part of her husband.

A PLETHORA OF OYSTERS. The recent warm weather and the increasing receipts of oysters in the pressing effect on the market, and yes-terday good oysters from the Potomac beds could be bought at 35 cents a bushel, and even lower. Oysters from Tangier and other bay points sold at from an abundant supply of fairly good oysters at the Alexandria wharves which soil at

BISHOP GIBSON'S COTTAGE BURNED.

A telegram received in this city today stated that the summer cottage of Bishop Gibson at Orkney Springs was burned to the ground yesterday evining. No particulars were given, but it is supposed the fire was the result of the forest fires that raged in that neighborhood at that Seven cottages were destroyed,

CLOCK STOPPED.

During the repairs now being made to the City Hall steeple and town clock it has been found necessary to stop the clock in order that the weights may be properly adjusted, etc. The clock will therefore be out of commission for the next few days.

REFORMATION SERVICES.

Reformation services will be held in Immanuel Lutheran Church on Sonday night at 7:30 o'clock. An interesting programme of exercises has been prepared for the occasion.

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Second floor.—Millinery. White

Mrs Cornellus Wells, formerly of this city, but who has recently resided in Gloucetter, Mas, is critically ill in that

eity. Mr. J. R. N. Cartie, who has been quite sick for the past few days, is im -Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smoot have re-

Mrs. Minute Herwig and daughter are visiting Mrs. Herwig's brother and sister, Dr. and Miss Sue Lee Wheat, near Upperville.

Miss Emily Gravatt, who has been visiting friends in this city, returned to

her home in Richmond today. BASKETBALL

There will be a game of basketball between the Alexandris Light Infantry team and the Dei Ray Athletic Club at Armory Hall tonight, and judging from the past performances of both teams the patrons will witness a hard fought game. The following will be the line-up of the

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PREPARING FOR THE WORK. Mr. McMahan, of Norfolk, was at the courthouse of Alexandria county this afternoon making arrangements prepara-tery to beginning the improvements on King street from the city limits to the new union passenger station. Mr. Mc-Mahan was accompained by his consul-men. The work, it is said, will soon be commenced.

LOCAL BREVITTES

The Needlework Gaild held an ineresting meeting yesterday evening.

Only routine business was transacted at the meeting last night of Alexandria Council, Januar Order of Americans. The funeral of the late John Thomas tock place this afternoon from the realdence on Prince street, near Henry. The services were conducted by Rev.

Father Kelly. Those entitled to Confederate cro-se of honor and who have not received them are requested to make application at once. The next distribution will be on January 19th next, Gan, Lae's birth-

Ida Hawkins, colored, was arrested yesterday by Officers Beach and Rawlett on the charge of using abusive language

Diedzsoneit, formerly of this city, died in B-ltimore on Wednesday. The deceased leaves four children. She was 34 years old.

An Hem yeaterbay stated that will be supposed here before Justice Wright in Fairfax county charged with using milk bottles belonging to Guy Nash. The names were reversed. It was Mr. Nash who was charged by Mr. Simpson with using the latter's bottles.

The only case before the Police Court this morning was that of a young culored man named William who had been charged with the larceny of clothes from Mary Winkle, colored. The charge was not sustained and the accused was dismissed.

The Fairfax Herald says since the opening of the hunting season it is alost dangerous for farmers to shuck their corn, as the "sportsmen" from the city attribute every rustle of the fodder to the movement of game and are liable to shoot regardless of consequences

JUMPED TO HER DEATH.

Celia Duberstein, 19 years old, despondent because she fancied that her sweetheart in New York was attempting to evade their marrisge, ended her life yesterday by jumping from a window on the ninth floor of the Usrd building, in cents to 85 cents a bushel. There is Oleveland, Onio. The girl had received a letter from her fisnce asking her to wait a while longer. This letter she found when arriving home from work Wednesday evening. Yesterday she went to the shirt-waist factory of the Pollat-Werthelm Company, on the eighth floor of the Card building, and said she wanted her money, as she was going to New York at once. The money was paid. Late yesterday she returned to the factory and asked to be re em waved his band, meaning, he said, for her to wait a minute. It is supposed the girl thought he would have nothing more patronage. to do with her again. Miss Duberstein went to the tenth

floor, but, finding no window, she re-turned to the ninth floor. There she broke a small window, crawled to the ledge, and dropped headforemost 115 feet into the exacation for a new build-

Ish. The Red Cross Shoes for Ladies. J. A. Marshall & Bro., King street.

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tary Finered at 50 Men's Wright Health at 75c. Boy's Heavy Fleeced Shir's and Drawers to match in all sizes at 21c.

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